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HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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SMART SCHOOLS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the criteria adoped for setting up new smart schools to provide computer education in the country;

(b) the places indentified for setting up these schools, State wise; and

(c) the time by which these schools are likely to be set up?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI JAYASINGRAO GAIKWAD PATIL)

(a) to (c) Presently, the department of secondary Education and Higher Education is in the midst of formulating a revised Computer Literacy and setting up of 'SMART' schools. (CLASS) scheme, which inter-alia, provides for setting up of 'SMART' schools. The details regarding number of schools and their location etc. are being worked out.